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SUBJ: FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE: NORWEGIAN JOURNALISTS COVERING
SUMMIT AND SSOD

FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF NORWEGIAN JOURNALISTS WHO WILL BE
COVERING NATO SUMMIT MEETING IN WASHINGTON AND SPECIAL SESSION
ON DISARMAMENT IN NYC. POST HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH EACH OF
THEM TO INFORM THEM OF FOREIGN PRESS CENTER SERVICES. IF
ASKED, APPRECIATE YOUR USUAL OUTSTANDING SERVICE.

1. JOHAN THORUD, REPORTER, ARBEIDERBLADET, OSLO (BOTH). (THORUD
IS A CLOSE CONTACT OF EMBASSY AND WILL PARTICIPATE IN NATO
TOUR FOLLOWING SUMMIT).
2. PER RISTE, FOREIGN EDITOR OF NRK RADIO (SUMMIT ONLY).
(RISTE IS HIGHLY COMPETENT JOURNALIST AND ONE OF OUR
CLOSEST FRIENDS AT NRK).

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3. NILS MORTEN UDGAARD, FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMENTATOR,
AFTENPOSTEN (SUMMIT ONLY, BUT WILL REMAIN IN US
INCL. NYC APPROX TEN DAYS THEREAFTER. EMBASSY HAS
FURNISHED HIM LIST OF IMPORTANT WASHINGTON CONTACTS.
UDGAARD IS HIGHLY REGARDED AND IMPORTANT EMBASSY
CONTACT).

4. OLE NYMOEN, REPORTER, NORWEGIAN NEWS SERVICE (NTB)
(BOTH). (NYMOEN IS WELL-KNOWN TO PRESS SECTION,
AND NTB IS MAIN SOURCE OF FOREIGN NEWS FOR MOST NOR-
SWGIAN PAPERS).

5. STEIN VIKSVEEN, JOURNALIST, STAVANGER AFTENBLAD
(SUMMIT ONLY). (STAVANGER AFTENBLAD IS ONE OF THE
MOST IMPORTANT REGIONAL PAPERS IN NORWAY).

6. STEIN IVAR AARSAETHER, JOURNALIST, MORGENBLADET
(SSOD ONLY). (REPRESENTS OSLO'S CONSERVATIVE BUT
INFLUENTIAL NEWSPAPER. AARSAETHER WILL BE IN US
FOR JUNE 16-20 AND WILL ALSO VISIT ST. LOUIS AND
NEW ORLEANS).

7. GEORG OVSTHUS, JOURNALIST, BERGENS TIDENDE (SSOD
ONLY). (BERGENS TIDENDE IS THE MOST IMPORTANT RE-
GIONAL PAPER IN NORWAY).

8. HANNE GAMNES, JOURNALIST, DAGBLADET, OSLO (SSOD
ONLY). (DAGBLADET IS THIRD LARGEST PAPER IN NORWAY
AND IS WIDELY READ BY YOUNG READERS).

9. HELGE KJOLLESDAL, JOURNALIST, VAART LAND, OSLO
(SSOD ONLY). (REPRESENTS CHRISTIAN PEOPLE'S PARTY
NEWSPAPER).
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10. SVEIN ROALD HANSEN, JOURNALIST, DEMOKRATEN, FREDRIKSTAD
(SSOD ONLY).

11. THOR MORTEN ETHOLM, JOURNALIST, TELEMAR ARBEIDER-
BLAD, SKIEN (SSOD ONLY). (SMALL BUT IMPORTANT LABOR
PARTY PAPER).

12. EGIL MAGNAR OPLAND, JOURNALIST, ADRESSEAVISEN,
TRONDHEIM (SSOD ONLY). (IMPORTANT, CONSERVATIVE
REGIONAL PAPER).
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